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SUBJECT: REQUEST FROM DIRECTOR OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS FOR ASSISTANCE IN CONTACTING TECHNICAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATIONS

1. JALAL MAHDI, DIRECTOR OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS IN GOQ MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS, HAS REQUESTED EMBASSY ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING MATERIALS FROM TWO U.S. TECHNICAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATIONS (ADDRESSES IN PARA TWO BELOW). DIRECTOR WOULD LIKE TO SEND UNTRAINED AND SEMI-TRAINED PERSONNEL TO AMERICAN TECHNICAL SCHOOLS. SKILL LEVEL WILL VARY GREATLY AT OUTSET. SOME STUDENTS WILL HAVE COMPLETED SECONDARY SCHOOL WHILE OTHERS MAY ONLY HAVE COMPLETED PREP (TENTH GRADE) LEVEL. MAHDI INTERESTED IN VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS WITH COURSES IN COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY AND BASIC ELECTRICITY/ELECTRONICS.

2. MAHDI SPECIFICALLY REQUESTS CATALOGS FROM MEMBER SCHOOLS IN AMERICAN TECHNICAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION, HEADQUARTERS AT NORTH DAKOT A

STATE SCHOOL OF SCIENCE, WAHPETON, NORTH DAKOTA 58075 AND IN NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF TRADE AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS, HEADQUARTERS AT 2021 L STREET, N.W., WASHINGTON, D.C. 20036. HE WOULD ALSO LIKE SIMILAR INFORMATION FROM MEMBERS OF NATIONAL COUNCIL OF TECHNICAL SCHOOLS. EMBASSY HAS BEEN UNABLE TO FIND ADDRESS OF THIS ORGANIZATION.

3. ACTION: PLEASE OBTAIN INFORMATION FROM TECHNICAL ORGANIZATIONS UNCLASSIFIED

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AND SEND THROUGH AMERICAN EMBASSY DOHA. AS USUAL, SPEED IS AT PREMIUM SINCE MAHDI MAY BE SEEKING SIMILAR INFORMATION FROM OTHER EMBASSIES.

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